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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP03/51021	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE December 16, 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED December 23, 2002
TITLE OF INVENTION: ADAMANTYL ACETAMIDES AS 11-BETA HYDROXYSTEROID DEHYDROGENASE INHIBITORS		
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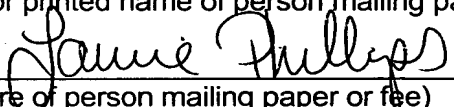
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